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## *WASHINGTON.*

### Proceedings of the Forty-Sixth Congress.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—By a vote yeas 28 and nays 26 the bill reported yesterday by Senator Bayard, from the judiciary committee, relating to juries and to the repeal of sections 801, 820 and 821 of the revised statutes, was taken up.

Senator Hampton, after briefly supporting the bill, spoke upon the general political issues. In the course of his speech he said he would not in any event vote to deny the necessary appropriations to support the army and departments of the government.

It was true the southern members formed a majority in congress, and were responsible for what they approved and supported as well as for what they suggested. He would not claim to speak as a leader, but speaking for himself he would never try to shield himself from the consequences of his action behind any man or party. By no vote of mine will the appropriation necessary for the maintenance of the army be refused. It is competent for congress to declare under what limitations and upon what conditions those appropriations shall be made. The form in which this is done I regard as immaterial. In my judgment it would have been best to adhere to the general form but as it has been deemed advisable to make necessary appropriations in another manner I shall in order to secure unanimity agree in the decision of the majority, but in no event can I consent to aid in disbanding the army or impairing its efficiency. It is an army of the whole country. In its history from the days of the revolution, through its achievements of 1812 and the glories of the Mexican war, I have some reason by right of my birth and blood to be proud. In the late civil contest on many a bloody field I tested its valor and no word or act of mine shall depreciate its valor or lessen its usefulness. Nor shall I assent, because of any difference of opinion between the minority and majority to close the courts of justice or embarrass the necessary and orderly life of the government. The constitution has provided a means by which an appeal to the country can be determined and it is for the people to decide whether the presidential veto has been wisely used to defeat the will of congress which represents the majority of the people. Senator Hampton, proceeding, said he had no intention to embarrass the administration. Senator Hampton's people remembered that in a critical period of their history when any injudicious action would have been fatal, the president by a conscientious construction of his duty, removed the United States troops from Louisiana and South Carolina thus enabling the people to restore their local governments to those who represented the popular will as well as the character, intelligence, and property of two states. For this wise action he was grateful and while in necessarily party differences which must arise in a free country it would be his duty to oppose the policy of which the president was a representative, that opposition would not be captious or such as to drive the president into a coalition with those who would trample on the rights of the people in their struggle to retain power.

Senator Bayard supported the bill, and quoted from Hamilton's writing to show that the theory of veto powers was to confer on the president the power to protect himself and prevent the passage of bad laws either through haste, inadvertence or design. The bills recently vetoed were not so passed. They represent the sober second thought of the American people, in whose deliberate judgment the reforms contained in them should be made, and the people would judge the president and his party by their works. He remarked that the same people who elected the democratic majority also elected a democratic president. They rested their hope in their belief that truth and justice are omnipotent and must prevail. Upon that great issue the American people will be called to decide at a future election.

The president pro tem laid before the senate a message from the president enclosing a report of the board of inquiry in the Fitz John Porter case. It was referred to the committee on military affairs.

Senator Edmunds moved to strike out the clause in the pending bill that repeals sections 821 of the revised statutes so that only sections 801 and 820 should be repealed. Rejected; yeas 16; nays 26.

Senator Edmunds then moved to amend by adding the following: That no citizen possessing all other qualifications which are or may be prescribed by law shall be disqualified for service of grand or petit juror in any court of the United States or any state on account of race, color or previous condition of servitude, and the officer or other person charged with any duty in the selection or examination of jurors who shall exclude or fail to examine any citizen for cause aforesaid shall on conviction thereof be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and fined not more than $50,000.

The amendment after some debate was rejected; yeas 14, nays 26.

Senator Edmunds moved to strike out the words requiring the commissioner appointed by the judge to put the names in a box, and to be a well known member of the principal party opposing that to which the clerk may belong. The amendment was rejected.

Senator Edmunds moved to strike out the words "But nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent any judge in any district in which such is now the practice from ordering the names of jurors to be drawn from boxes used by the state authorities in selecting juries in the highest courts in the state." Senator Edmunds said his object was to get rid of the crosscut-saw business, the pendulum way of selecting jurors. The motion was rejected; yeas 18, nays 30.

Senator Edmunds moved to strike out the clause by which no person shall be compelled to serve more than two weeks at any term unless it be necessary in order to complete the trial of the cause in which he is empanneled. Rejected.

The committee amendment being substituted for the original bill was then agreed to; yeas 30, nays 18.

Senator Edmunds moved to recommit the bill. Lost.

Senator Edmunds then spoke on the bill and then yielded to a motion to adjourn.

HOUSE.

Mr. Atkins reported the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill and moved that the bill be printed and recommitted.

Mr. Hawley offered an amendment instructing the committee on appropriations to report the bill substantially in the form of the legislative appropriation bill last agreed to, excluding therefrom all general political legislation and appropriations for judicial expenses.

Mr. Atkins thereupon withdrew the bill. The house then resumed the business of the morning hour.

## *GENERAL NEWS.*

### Fitz John Porter's Case.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—The following message from President Hayes was received by both houses to-day:

TO THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.—I transmit herewith the proceedings and report of the board of officers convened by special order No. 78, headquarters of the army at Washington, April 12, '78, in the case of Fitz John Porter. The report of the board was made in March last, but the official record of the proceeding did not reach me until the third inst. I have given to this report such examination as satisfies me I ought to lay the proceedings and conclusions of the board before congress, as I am without power in absence of legislation to act upon the recommendation of the report, further than by submitting the same to congress. The proceedings and conclusions of the board are transmitted for the information of congress and such action as in your wisdom shall seem expedient and just.

(Signed) R. B. HAYES.

Executive Mansion, June 5, '79.

### Brewers' Convention.

ST. LOUIS, June 5.—The brewers' convention resumed its session this morning. General Raum, commissioner of the internal revenue, was introduced and made a brief speech in which he congratulated the brewers on the success of the association. The late testimony to the fact that they had always manifested a desire to aid the government in the collection of its revenue, and to have its laws and regulations properly observed; and said he would be glad to consider any suggestions which might be made him touching any plan they might devise to prevent the re-use of beer stamps.

Wm. J. Lemps of St. Louis then stepped forward, and in a very feeling and highly complimentary manner presented President Reuter with a very elaborately and artistically wrought epergne as a token of individual respect and esteem. Mr. Reuter accepted the gift in an eloquent little speech. The epergne is emblematically designed to represent the craft, weighs about 30 ounces, and cost $1,500.

A proposition to establish a brewers' academy was adopted, and a motion to appoint a committee of five to devise a plan for such, such committee to report at next annual meeting was carried. President Reuter and the board of trustees were re-elected by acclamation, and after the passage of the usual resolutions of thanks, the convention adjourned to meet at Buffalo on the first Wednesday in June, 1880.

### Manhattan Bank Robbers.

NEW YORK, June 5.—Pat. Shevelin, the watchman of the Manhattan Bank, and Wm. Kelly, charged with the burglary of that institution, were arraigned to-day. Shevelin pleaded guilty and Kelly entered a plea of not guilty. Both were remanded for trial without bail.

### An Important Decision.

CHICAGO, June 5.—The supreme court of Iowa has decided constitutional and valid the law prohibiting the sale of wine and beer within two miles of the corporate limits of any municipality where such sale has been prohibited by a vote of the people, or within two miles of any voting place at any election.

### Base Ball.

Lowell—Hop Bitters 5, Manchesters 3.

Troy—Clevelands 4, Troys 2.

New Bedford—Nationals 5, New Bedfords 4.

Boston—Bostons 5, Buffalos 0. The game was called on three innings on account of rain.

Springfield—Albanys 4, Springfields 0.

Providence—Chicagos 6, Providences 5.

Syracuse—Stars 10, Cincinnati 1.

Worcester—Worcesters 11, Uticas 4.

## *FOREIGN.*

### Silver Rising.

LONDON, June 5.—The Times in a financial article discussing the price of silver says it seems to be a pretty general expectation that the European silk crop will not only be backward but inferior. Attention therefore is directed to Chinese and Japanese crops, which has produced a very strong demand for Mexican dollars, which sold yesterday at 52¾d, while 53d was quoted as the closing price.

### TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Gov. Head of New Hampshire was inaugurated yesterday with imposing ceremonies and delivered an address which was devoted entirely to state affairs.

M. Bennet, editor, convicted on the charge of sending obscene matter through the mails, has been sentenced to thirteen months' hard labor in the Albany, N. Y., penitentiary and to pay a fine of $300.

A tramp attacked the widow of a farmer near Millerton, Dutchess county, New York, yesterday. She was so frightened that she died instantly. She was between 60 and 70 years old. A lynching party is in pursuit.

A five-story building on the corner of Pearl and Elm streets, Cincinnati, owned by Henry Besuden, and occupied by Post & Co., extensive dealers in railway and telegraph supplies, was destroyed by fire at an early hour yesterday morning. While clearing away the rubbish the walls fell, killing four and wounding five persons.

### WASHINGTON NEWS.

Subscriptions to the 4 per cent. refunding certificates since yesterday's report were $358,410.

The signal bureau will make inquiry into the origin of the movement and effects of the recent tornado in Kansas, Nebraska and Missouri.

A special committee reported favorably on a bill reserving to the emperor the right of fixing rates on a uniform basis for all German railways, and abolishing the freight rates which were unduly favorable to articles produced abroad.

The attorney general decides that obligations valuable in merchandise and used for circulation come so evidently within the mischief intended to be remedied by the act of February 8th, '75, as to subject them to a tax of ten per cent. The act provides that every person, firm, association and every corporation, state bank or state bank association shall pay a tax of ten per centum on the amount of their own notes used for circulation and paid out by them.

Representative Atkins said this afternoon he would report back the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill to-morrow and endeavor to secure its passage. The appropriation committee will meet to-morrow and try to continue the consideration of remaining bills agreed upon by the joint democratic caucus; namely, the bill making appropriations for the support of the army and the bill making appropriations ending June 30, 1880.

### FOREIGN NOTES.

Wm. H. Vanderbilt has left for New York.

Rear Admiral Mackillop Pasha of the Egyptian navy is dead.

It is stated the French cabinet has decided to pardon Blanque in a few days.

Prince of Orange, heir apparent to the throne of Holland, is out of danger and improving.

The Prussian government has offered to grant a site for a new imperial parliament house in Berlin.

Two hundred and eighty-eight additional French communists received amnesty. Amnesty expires to-day.

The report is current that the marriage is projected between the Crown Prince of Sweden and Princess Victoria of Baden.

The order in Canada prohibiting the importation and introduction of American cattle has been extended to September 6.

Losses to the Russian fire insurance companies have been great. The fires in Orenburg last month aggregate 2,087,000 roubles.

A Paris dispatch gives currency to the rumor that General Garibaldi is dead, but Menotti Garibaldi at Rome telegraphs a contradiction of the report and says his father has completely recovered from his recent indisposition.

David Stuart & Co., merchants in Liverpool, engaged in the eastern trade, failed yesterday. Liabilities are believed to be a hundred thousand or two hundred thousand pounds. The firm is largely indebted to the Presbyterian missionary agency in America, for whom they were agents.

South Staffordshire mines drainage commissioners yesterday announced that owing to a debt of £40,000 on the Tipton district, all pumping engines would be stopped last night. The effect of this would be the flooding of hundreds of collieries for miles around. South Staffordshire would never recover from the disaster. A meeting of all the colliery owners is called for Wednesday next to consider the situation.

## Commercial and Monetary.

*(By Telegraph.)*

New York, June 5.

Gold—quiet.

State Securities—quiet.

Carrying Rates—1@2.

Governments—strong.

Clearings—not given.

Money—active at 4@7; closing 5 to 6.

Borrowing Rates—flat and ⅛.

Railroad bonds—active strong.

Customs receipts—not given.

Prime Mercantile paper—4@5 per cent.

Assistant Treasurer's disbursements—not given.

Sterling—steady, sixty days, $4.85½; sight, $4.89½.

The following are the closing quotations:

THE STOCK MARKET.

COUPONS.

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| Coupons '65, new | 108½ | New 4½s, coupons | 107⅜@108 |
| Coupons '81 | 107⅜ | New 4's, reg | 100⅛ |
| Coupons '67 called in | | New 4's coupons | 100⅞@101⅛ |
| Coupons '68 called in | | 10-40s, reg | 104 |
| New 5s | 103⅜ | 10-40s, coupons | 107½ |
| New 4½s reg | 106⅜@106⅜ | Currency 6s | 121⅜ |

STOCKS.

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| W U Telegraph | 113⅜ | N J Central | 51⅜ |
| Quicksilver | 14½ | Rock Island | 138½ |
| Quicksilver, pref'd | 36 | St Paul | 57 |
| Pacific Mail | 16⅜ | St Paul, pref | 90¼ |
| Mariposa | 6¾ | T W & W | 35⅞ |
| Mariposa, pref | 7 | T W & W, pref | 112 |
| Adams Express | 106½ | Fort Wayne | 108½ |
| Fargo Express | 98½ | Fort Wayne, pref | |
| American Express | 47⅛ | Terre Haute | 11 |
| U S Express | 46¼ | Terre Haute, pref | 19 |
| N Y Central | 118⅜ | Chicago & Alton | 81¾ |
| Erie | 26⅜ | C & A, pref | 111 |
| Erie, pref | 49⅜ | Ohio & Mississippi | 15⅜ |
| Harlem | 155 | Del & Lackawana | 160 |
| Harlem, pref | 30 | A & P Tel | 40⅜ |
| Michigan Central | 76¾ | Missouri Pacific | 21¼ |
| Panama | 148 | A & P, pref | 34⅜ |
| Union Pacific | 74 | Indiana Central | |
| Lake Shore | 74⅜ | C B & Q | 115⅜ |
| I C | 86 | H & St Joe | 21⅜ |
| C & P | 96⅜ | C P Bonds | 112 |
| Northwestern | 63 | U P Bonds | 112 |
| Northwestern, pref | 94⅞ | U P Land Grant | 113 |
| C C C & I | 49 | U P Sinking Fund | 114 |

STATE BONDS.

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| Missouri 6s | 107⅜ | Virginia, new | 34 |
| Tennessee 6s, new | 32½ | Virginia, old | 31⅜ |
| Tennessee 6s, old | 35¼ | | |

KANSAS CITY MARKET.

KANSAS CITY, June 5.

FLOUR—unchanged.

WHEAT—Shipments 5792 bushels; firmer. No. 2 $1.09; No. 3, 1.02½; No. 4, 97½.

CORN—Receipts 10788; firmer and higher; No. 2 mixed 32⅜; white mixed, 35; rejected none.

OATS—No. 2, 35.

RYE—nominal.

BUTTER—steady at 5.

EGGS—firmer; 9½a10c.

CATTLE—weak and unsettled. Native shipping steers $4.15a4.75; butchers 3.60@4.10; cows 2.40a3.75; stockers and feeders 3.50@4.00.

HOGS—receipts 2,301; shipments 1,991; with sales at 3.15@3.25 with the bulk at $3.20.

SHEEP—dull, receipts 51; shipments dull and weak.


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FOR SALE—Lots 17, 18 and 19, in block 103, corner of Weber and Cucharas streets. This is one of the most desirable pieces of property in town. It contains all kinds of fruit trees in full bearing and can be seen by applying to Mr. John Harvey, on the premises. 5-18-1m

FOR SALE—Horses, Harness, Buggies and Spring Wagons, at all times, by SANDERS & AUX. 4-23-tf

FOR SALE.—Or exchange for house and lot in town, a desirable ranch on the divide one and a half miles from Monument, 160 acres of which forty are under fence and seven or eight cultivated. Apply to Wm. Clark, florist, Colorado Springs. 5-27-tf

FOR SALE CHEAP.—A first-class fire and burglar proof safe. Apply at First National bank. 2-27-tf

FOR SALE—Story and a half house, containing eight rooms, pantry and closet. Lot 100x190. Barn and stables on lot. Desirable location. Terms easy. Enquire of Lewis Hager. 2-15-tf

FOR SALE—A ranch controlling 3,000 acres of stock range well improved and house furnished. Can be had at a reasonable price by applying at ranch, Hayden House, 27 miles out Ute Pass road. Suitable reasons will be given for selling. 5-18-1m

WANTED.

HORSE, buggy and harness to trade for wood. Inquire at Courter & Woodring's shop on Pike's Peak Av. 6 4 6

A FEW table boarders can be accommodated at No. 2 Hartwell Row, Kiowa st., just north of the Crawford House. 6 4 tf

WANTED.—A few boarders, at the Howbert Ranch, half mile from town. 6 1 tf

FOR RENT.

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That Wooten affidavit was a kind of a last gasp.

Some interesting reading about the Wooten affidavit will be found on our fourth page.

If Wooten was for sale, it is evident that the Atchison road was successful in the purchase.

Of the 2,500 arrests made in the last two years for the violations of U. S. laws, 2,360 were in the south.

The *Tribune* is still hostile to the best interests of the republican party in its partisan attacks on Attorney General Wright which would seem to prove the truth of the statements in the *News* that the Atchison road brought the republican victory last fall.

The Atchison organs have given notice to the judiciary of this state that, unless every ruling is in favor of the Atchison company, a masked battery of foul slander, charges of corruption and every other crime will open upon it. This is more disreputable bulldozing than was ever practiced in the south.

Frank Hurd could have been better employed in the Ohio democratic convention in seeking the incorporation of a hard-money plank instead of the revolutionary plank that was defeated. Perhaps, however, his experience with his democratic associates in congress, while advocating honest money, was sufficient.

The nomination of Ewing by the democrats in Ohio is likely to bring forward the financial issue. Ewing is a pronounced and representative greenbacker while Foster is for hard money. In a square battle hard money has always won in Ohio and will win this year. For this reason the nomination of Ewing increases the chances of the republican success.

The Ohio democratic platform puts the democratic party in that state in harmony with the democratic congress. Ohio republicans should be profoundly thankful for this. It gives them an immense advantage in the campaign. The American people will not endorse the repeal of election laws which were enacted to protect the legal voter in his rights.

We trust the article entitled "The Attorney General and His Assailants," in another column, will be carefully read. It is a calm, dispassionate review of the part that the attorney general has played in the railroad fight. Its tone is in marked contrast to the wild ranting and unscrupulous attacks that have appeared against the attorney general in the Atchison organs.

General Garfield, in his eloquent speech at the Ohio republican convention, excited tremendous applause when in reference to starving the government, he said, "And then we came up and said that, as the people of this country rallied to support and defend the Union in 1861, when you threatened to shoot it to death, so now from every hillside and valley, and from every fireside, the people of this country will go and bear their offerings, if need be, to feed and maintain and keep alive the government of their country, because it is being attempted to starve it to death by men who have the custody of our funds."

The mining *Record* comes to the defence of Sunset Cox. Speaking of a sneer in a Colorado paper, it says: "Our contemporary may as well understand that such friends of the mining interest as Mr. S. S. Cox, are not so superabundant in Congress, from this quarter, that they are to be selected as butts for politically inspired prejudice. Mr. Cox deserves nothing but respect from the Colorado press." We would inform the *Record* that such friends of Colorado as Mr. Cox are in no way desirable. Any man who opposed resumption, opposed the use of a metallic currency, and was therefore opposed to the mining interests of Colorado.

The Denver daily *Republican* appeared on Wednesday morning, though that issue failed to reach us until yesterday. It is to be a republican paper of the more stalwart type. The editor, Mr. Henry Ward is too well known by his brilliant editorial work on the *Tribune* to require any introduction. The mere fact that he will be the managing editor is sufficient assurance that the paper will be conducted with ability, that its opinions will be positive and pronounced, and that its tone will be in every way respectable. We are glad to welcome Mr. Ward back into the active field of journalism in this state. The city editor Mr. Zalinger is a young man of great promise who has already made an enviable reputation in his profession as city editor of the *Democrat.*

## The Attorney General and His Assailants.

The conduct of the raging railroad war in Colorado is much like that of all railroad wars everywhere. It is marked by all the bitterness, the violence, the malice, the vindictiveness, and the vituperation that ever result from the fierce clashing of pecuniary interests. The newspapers, of course, have mixed in the fight. And they unfortunately, with one or two exceptions, have displayed not the calm impartiality, the exact justice, and the open fairness of a sincere disinterested regard for the public good, but instead have exhibited the violent impartiality, the raging injustice, and covert unfairness of interested partisanship. They have taken the side of a corporation and not of the people. They have been advocates and not critics. They have made their fiercest and most bitter attacks upon the attorney general of the state, because he has filed bills against one party on the relation of the other. In the blind blundering of ignorance or the wild injustice of deceit, they have charged that, in this, the attorney general has exceeded his authority, gone beyond the bounds of duty, and abused his trust, and they intimate that he has done so from interested motives. To support their charges they quote the provisions of the statutes prescribing the duties of the attorney general, which say that it shall be his duty, at the request of the governor and other state officers, to give advice, commence actions, and do other acts. Then, they serenely conclude that the duties thus defined are his sole duties, and therefore that he can do nothing file a bill in court or perhaps receive a board bill without the suggestion of the governor or other state officers. It never seems to have occurred to them that this statute definition of the attorney general's duties is necessarily partial, that it was made for the purpose of rendering it his duty to do certain things that do not naturally and by common law pertain to his office. They cannot understand that there are certain things which the attorney general must do simply because he is attorney general, because they necessarily pertain to his office, and that there are certain other things that become his duty only as they are made so by statute, and that among the latter is the giving of advice at the request of other state officers, and the beginning of actions at their suggestion. Thus the governor of this state is required by statute, upon the requisition of the governors of other states, to surrender fugitives from justice. Now, if no other duties were prescribed by statute for the governor, would any one conclude that that officer could do nothing but give up runaway thieves, robbers and murderers, and that he could do nothing at all except at the request or suggestion of some other governor? The absurdity of this is apparent to every one. Yet it is exactly the rule that certain papers for certain purposes would apply to the attorney general. They would make him the mere servant, the waiter, and the errand boy of the other state officers.

The attorney general is the law officer of the state. He is charged, as such with the protection of the interests and rights of the state and its people, with the maintenance of the state's authority and sovereignty. By virtue of his authority he is bound to defend the State from every attempted defiance of its authority and every assayed infringement of it sovereignty. And he is required to do so at the request, or in legal phrase, upon the relation, of any citizen of the state, whether he be a laborer or a capitalist, whether he represent his own little interest alone or the great interests of a powerful corporation. This is both common law and common sense. It stands both in reason and upon authority. Now, certain persons have claimed that a powerful foreign corporation was disregarding the authority of the state and infringing its sovereignty, and they have called upon the attorney general in the exercise of the functions of his office, to vindicate the disregarded authority and the infringed sovereignty, and he has done so by calling upon the corporation to show by what right, authority or warrant *quo warranto* it was doing the things it was doing with in the state's limits.

It matters not so far as the attorney general is concerned, whether the persons calling upon him to exercise his authority were acting honestly or dishonestly, from interested or disinterested motives, unless the dishonesty was clearly apparent. It was not his purpose to judge of motives. The fact that the applying parties had interests and rights involved in the matter affects not the merits of the attorney general's action. Their interests could be saved and their rights maintained only through the assertion of the state's authority and sovereignty by its law officer. Their direct and speedy remedy was by his official action. And they had the right to call upon him to act, just as all citizens the highest and the lowest alike, have the right to call upon the officers of the state—the servants of the people for such protection of their interests as is afforded most easily and directly by the exercise of those officers' legal duties. The relators in this railroad case, while seeking the protection that the state alone could afford, were required in return to save the state from loss. They become responsible for all the costs of the litigation. They had a direct remedy only by the aid of the state, and in seeking the same, they secured the state from loss or expense. This is all there is and exactly what there is of the matter over which so great an outcry has been raised.

The attorney general has simply done his duty by the state and the citizens thereof, and yet, without the evidence of a single circumstance, he has been denounced as the paid tool of a corporation and been accused of bribery and corruption of every species. Certain papers have accused him of everything corrupt and vile, but have never produced the slightest evidence of dishonesty of act or unworthiness of motive. They have denounced him without proof or pretense of proof. Can they have done so in the interests of the people of the state? Can they have acted in any decent spirit of impartiality? Must they not have acted solely in the interests of the rich corporation they have championed, and at the inspiration of the narrowest and most interested partisanship? Can their strange and peculiar action be explained in any other way?

The assailants of the attorney general as a last desperate effort to injure him, have commenced to assert that the public condemn his action. Yet they dare not publish the opinions on the merits of the railroad controversy that they themselves have privately obtained from representative citizens. *Denver Daily Republican.*

## You are Right.

An honest decision is the very last thing the Santa Fe wants.—*Denver News.*

The Atchison company are making a ... reputation in this state. The campaign was commenced this year with the fraudulent amendment to the church bill, and is ending with efforts to tarnish our judiciary, open defiance of our courts, and finally by an attempt to kidnap a judge.

The foul and cowardly attacks made by the Atchison counsel on the character of Judge Bowen, and followed up by equally mean attacks in the Denver *Tribune*, are justly exciting indignant protests from the press of the entire state. The Denver *Republican* pertinently says on this subject: "Some of his rulings have been adverse to the latter road so he is forthwith denounced by certain newspaper writers as corruptly biased, as wickedly prejudiced, and a ... Are these writers obliged to believe that every judge who rules against the Santa Fe in such manner is bribed and prejudiced? To cry bias and prejudice against a judge is a common way of working up public sentiment in behalf of one side or the other to a law suit. But is it the method of impartiality? Is it the chosen way of a newspaper that regards only right and justice?"

Those portions of the country which use quinine are waking up to the injustice of the tariff which is simply in the interest of two very rich manufacturers. The Atlanta *Constitution* speaks thus emphatically on the subject: "If the Philadelphia apothecaries have captured the committee of ways and means, surely they have not captured the democratic majority. The people want the duty on quinine removed now and we say to the majority of the ways and means committee that their postponement of the question is simply infamous—an outrage upon humanity and an insult to the intelligence of their constituents. The duty must be removed before the malarial season begins, and it will be unless the members of congress have been bribed by those most interested in continuing the blood-tax. We warn the democrats on the ways and means committee that the people will not patiently submit to the outrage of postponement."

Last week Senator McDonald spoke of the smallness of the vote of Rhode Island in the two congressional districts. This led Senator Blaine to produce some unpleasant facts regarding the vote in congressional districts in the south. We give a portion of his somewhat startling figures: "Alabama with eight members cast 88,000 votes; Minnesota with three members cast 99,000 votes; Virginia with nine members cast 126,000 votes; Kansas with three members cast 136,000 votes; Kentucky with ten members cast 160,000 votes; Michigan with 9 members cast 281,000 votes; Louisiana with 118,000 votes sent 6 members; whereas Nebraska, Colorado, and Oregon all together cast 127,000 votes with three members, or the aggregate of Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia, Kentucky, and Louisiana, reaching 511,970 votes, sent thirty-nine members, while Nebraska, Minnesota, Kansas, Michigan, Colorado, and Oregon, with an aggregate of 629,000 votes sent only eighteen members." He also showed that a great many congressional districts in Georgia, North Carolina and Mississippi cast a much smaller total vote in 1878, than was cast by the republicans in 1876. The eighth district of Georgia cast only 2,626 votes in 1878 while the republican vote was 10,000 in the same district in 1876. This caused Senator Hill to squirm dreadfully. The democrats should observe more discretion in alluding to the freedom and purity of the ballot.


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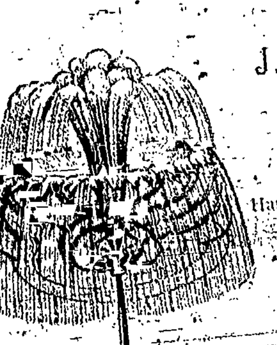


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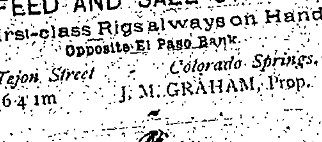


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### [Th]e Kind of Congress.

[Th]e Burlington Hawk-eye ... [i]n Ashland, ... a nail factory in Ashland, ... much impressed with the ... rapidity and accuracy of the ... at he wrote as follows:

... machine that makes the ... to be allowed to vote. It ... ent to congress. If ever one ... ines in the Norton Mills runs ... I will come back to Ashland ... it. It would make a good ... n. It can make nails, and can ... to perfection, and it doesn't ... ything else. I watched one of ... hour, and it went on all the ... ng good, useful, perfect nails ... nce talked politics. It never ... take a drink. It never wanted ... a bill to make the govern- ... four hundred billions of kegs ... nd loan them to people who ... uild chicken houses. It didn't ... thought nails should be remon- ... made a legal tender for the ... of all debts, public and private, ... e payment of all debts. It didn't ... e country would never be pros- ... il we had an inconvertible cur- ... shingle nails, secured by a bond ... f railroad spikes. And it made ... It know it could make nails, ... just went ahead and made them. ... once knew a man who made ... He could cobble a pair of old ... o. He could sew on an invisible ... th yellow thread, so that it would ... e sunrise on the Ohio. How he ... ake shoes! Well sir, one day ... n dropped his hammer and got to ... id down his hammer and got to ... what the government ought to do, ... at congress ought to do, and what ... ld do if he were there, and the first ... e knew they sent him to congress, ... d to charge only ten cents for sew- ... a patch as big as a fifty cent piece, ... dy twenty cents for a new heel, and ... ents for half soles. And he pounded ... r all day for about one dollar and ... five cents. And the very first ... he was in congress he intro- ... a bill for the free coinage of ... 0,000,000,000,000,000,000,000 in ... dollar greenbacks, with a provision ... the amount should be doubled if it ... d appear that the amount originally ... ned in the bill was insufficient to ... the demands of trade. ... And yet that man could make good ... s.

That's what I liked about that nail ... hine. It did what it could do best. ... Therefore, suppose every man in con- ... ss was a nail machine, and could cut ... out five thousand kegs of nails per week ... well and perfectly as these machines at ... land. Who would care for the revo- ... ionary plans of the friends of the sixth ... ction? The government could sell nails ... ough in a month to keep the army going ... a year.

The more I look at the nail machine ... e more thoroughly I am convinced that ... would do better in congress than did my ... iend the shoemaker.

### A Pleasant Affair.

A man came into the Derrick office yes- ... erday who had the unmistakable imprint ... of a backwoodsman, and inquiring for the ... editor pulled up a chair and sat down.

"I've come," said he, "to git you to print ... a notice of a funeral what we uns had outen ... our way."

"All right," was the answer; "what do ... do want published?"

"I just writ down a few notes here, what I'll ... read to you un while you put 'em in shape. ... Jim Smith died of the fever last week— ... bein' much respected—in the naborhood— ... a large and respectable audience turned ... out."

[We began to suspect that the old fellow ... had got hold of a press notice to some en- ... tertainment.]

"to witness the performance. The ulogy ... was spoke by Rev. Shydeker—who per- ... formed his part to perfection, bringing tears ... to the eyes of many, and when he retired ... was greeted with an n-knore."

The old man hesitated at that word for ... for a moment and then said, "I don't know ... as how that's right or not, but Sally said ... 'twas a good word anyhow and so I put it ... down. Then go on an' say somethin' con- ... solin' about the last of 'sith, an' I don't as ... how you'd better wind up somethin' like ... this: There was an immense crowd present, ... the affair passed off pleasently and every ... one seemed to enjoy themselves."—*Oil City Derrick.*

### Mr. Spurgeon on Himself.

At the "annual tea supper" given to the ... friends and supporters of Mr. Spurgeon's ... "Pastor's College" in London, Mr. Spur- ... geon said that he used to have no end of ... enemies; whether they were all dead ... he did not know, but they were much ... quieter than they used to be. There were ... his friends of the Church of England. ... Did he ever refuse to speak all he thought ... about them? And yet one of the first ... things he received in the course of his ill- ... ness was a letter from the bishop of his ... diocese to express his extreme sorrow, a ... letter and book from the Dean of Chester, ... and another letter from Archdeacon Law ... of Gloucester; also another from a very ... very High Churchman, whose name he ... would not mention, because he was so ... dreadfully high, all expressive of deep ... love to him. It seemed strange to him ... that such a grumpy individual as himself, ... and one that could grumble so very loudly, ... should be treated so kindly. He began ... to fear he must have been doing some- ... thing wrong, and he began to question his ... conscience; but on the whole he could not ... remember unfaithfulness in his utterances. ... He rejoiced in the conduct of the brethren ... concerned, and returned to all their af- ... fection. Whenever anybody sang his ... praises he sank to the very lowest in spir- ... directly, but on his being abused up went ... his spirits, and he defied the very devil ... himself when it came to a fight.

### A Stern Disciplinarian.

four wives and a beautiful girl, with luxu- ... riant golden hair. The rector of the par- ... ish and an officer of the British army were ... dining at Edgeworth's town house. After ... dinner the ladies adjourned to the library, ... and after wine, the gentlemen followed. ... As they entered the door of the library, ... the officer exclaimed, "How beautiful!" ... Mr. Edgeworth said, haughtily and quick- ly: "What do you admire, sir?" He re- plied: "Your daughter's magnificent hair." Charlotte was standing in a be- coming attitude before the bright grate, with her arms resting upon the mantel- piece. Mr. Edgeworth walked across the room to the book shelves, opened a draw- er, held her head back and cut her hair close to her head. As the golden ringlets fell into the drawer this extraordinary fath- er said: "Charlotte, what do you say?" She answered: "Thank you, father." Turning to his guests, he remarked: "I will not allow a daughter of mine to be vain."

### Cause and Effect.

His step was quick and there was a slight anxiety in his tone of voice as he asked:

"Heard from the game?"

"What game?"

"Why don't you know, the ball game between the Baseline and Hotliners?"

"Oh, thirteen to three in favor of the Hotliners," and the telegraph editor re- sumed his paste brush and manifold.

"Wh—e—w!" and he slowly walked to the door with the air of a man who had lost a bet (and we'll bet he had). Gather- ing up his courage once more he leaned his hand on the railing and—"Did Twistem pitch?"

"Yes."

"Holdemfast catch?"

"No."

"Ah, well, that accounts for it; you see Twistem has got the prettiest incurve you ever saw, and Holdemfast is the only man that understands his signs so as to know when it is coming; and it does just come, you bet your boots. He struck eight men out, and only one man got a hit off from him, and that was a little pud hit in the ...

A sudden uprising and advance move- ment of the entire editorial corps and a glance at the size of their feet cut short his lecture on "cause and effect," and he slip- ped somewhat hurriedly through a very small opening of the door, and we trust he is receiving his reward somewhere, and we don't care where, if its only in a warm place.—*N. H. Register.*

### HUMOROUS.

The Book of Numbers—An arithmetic.

An anonymous article—A baby before it's christened.

A column article—A monument.—*Steubenville Herald.*

When is a man obliged to keep his word? When no one will take it.

Some girls are like old muskets, and use a great deal of powder, but don't go off.

More people should die on Saturday than any other day. It's the recognized end of the weak.—*Philadelphia Record.*

We should think the conductor's wife would be jealous of her lord. He is al- ways looking after the fares, you know.—*Boston Transcript.*

There is a man who says he has not slept for fifteen years, and that he lies and thinks all night. We can vouch for his lying, if for no other part of his story.

"Who was the first man?" asked a Sun- day school teacher of her prodigy. "Adam." "And who was the first woman?" He hesi- tated but a moment, and then shouted, "Madam!"

"What newspaper does an editor re- mind you of?" asked a subscriber in the country. He reminds us of the *Christian at Work*; but this is not the answer fur- nished with conundrum.—*Norristown Herald.*

We overheard the following conversa- tion at the Westville blacksmith shop the other day: Landlord: "Well, Mr. ..., I have come to the conclusion that I must raise your rent." Mr. ...: "Well, I'm glad of it, for I can't raise it!"—*Yale Record.*

A Fort Madison (Iowa) man went home the other evening and found his house locked up. Getting in at the window with considerable difficulty, he found on the table a note from his wife: "I have gone out; you will find the door key on one side of the door step."

A negro preacher described hell as ice cold, where the wicked froze to all eternity. Asked why, he said: "'Cause I don't dare tell dem people nuffin else. Why, if I say hell is warm, some of dem old rheu- matic niggers be wantin' start down der de very fus' fros'."

An elderly gentleman finds himself at a masked ball set upon by three lively dom- inos, who finally ask of him in chorus: "Oh, is it true you are sixty years old?" "Whoever told you so, ladies," told you a no such thing," cries the old gentleman gallantly. "I'm twenty years old for each of you—that's what I am."

"What are drops of rain?" asked a chem- ical correspondent. Mr. Punch handed the question, by mistake, to his historical instead of his scientific assistant; but con- cludes on the whole to accept the answer, which is: Drops of reign are where kings or emperors cease to rule. Examples: Napoleon at Sedan, and several English kings at the block."—*American Punch.*

It is all wrong to let your church choir go off singing in the opera of "Pinafore" between Sundays. A dreadful thing re- cently happened on this account at a Cali- fornia funeral. The pastor, a tall, white- haired man, much resembling an admiral, arose in the pulpit and had no sooner fin- ished, in a sing-song tone, the remark, "We miss his presence in his usual haunts," than the choir sprang to its feet and shouted in return, "And so do his sis- ters and his cousins and his aunts."—*Milwaukee Sentinel.*

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## Retail Market Report.

### Groceries.

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| Blackberries, dried, ℔ lb new | 10 | 12½ |
| Beans, ℔ lb | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Butter, etc., ℔ lb | 35 @ | 40 |
| Coffee, Java, ℔ lb | | |
| Corn Meal, ℔ 100 lbs | 25 @ | 30 |
| Cheese, dried, ℔ lb | 19 @ | |
| Currants, dried, ℔ lb | 30 @ | 40 |
| Coal Oil, ℔ gallon | 10 @ | 12½ |
| Lard, ℔ lb | 10 @ | 12½ |
| Prunes, ℔ lb | 40 @ | |
| Raspberries, dried, ℔ lb | 15 @ | 20 |
| Raisins, ℔ lb | 9½ @ | 10½ |
| Sugar, brown, ℔ lb | 11 @ | |
| Sugar, extra C, ℔ lb | 11 | |
| Sugar, A coffee, ℔ lb | 13 | |
| Sugar, cut loaf, ℔ lb | 15 | |
| Sugar, powdered, ℔ lb | 50 @ | 1 00 |
| Tea, green, ℔ lb | 75 @ | 1 00 |
| Tea, black, ℔ lb | 7 @ | 20 |
| Bacon, ℔ lb | 10 @ | 11 |
| Hams, ℔ lb | | |

### Meats and Game.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Sausage ℔ lb | 6 @ | 15 |
| Beef, ℔ lb | 15 | 20 |
| Dried Beef, ℔ lb | 6 @ | 15 |
| Corned Beef, ℔ lb | | 22 |
| Turkeys, ℔ lb | 6 00 @ | 7 00 |
| Chickens, ℔ dozen | 8 @ | |
| Mutton, ℔ lb | 15 | |
| Sausage, Bologna, ℔ lb | 10 @ | 20 |
| Veal, ℔ lb | | |

### Wholesale Price Current.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Apples, ℔ bbl | $5 00 @ | 5 50 |
| Potatoes, per 100 lbs | 1 00 @ | 1 25 |
| Cheese (Gwillim,) | 12½ @ | |
| Coal (Canon) per ton | 4.95 @ | 5 20 |

### Butter and Eggs.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Butter, ranch, ℔ lb | 25 @ | 30 |
| Eggs, states, ℔ dozen | 15 @ | 20 |
| Eggs, ranch, ℔ dozen | 20 @ | 25 |

### Vegetables.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Beets, ℔ lb | 2½ @ | |
| Cabbage, ℔ lb | 3 @ | 4 |
| Onions, ℔ lb | | |
| Potatoes, ℔ lb | 1 @ | 1½ |

### Flour, Grain, Hay, Etc.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Corn, ℔ 100 lbs | 1 25 @ | 1 35 |
| Oats, ℔ 100 lbs | 1 30 @ | |
| Corn Chop, ℔ 100 lbs | 1 35 @ | 1 40 |
| Mixed Feed, ℔ 100 lbs | 1 50 @ | |
| Corn Meal, ℔ 100 lbs | 1 75 @ | 1 90 |
| Bran, ℔ 100 lbs | 1 00 @ | |
| XXXX Flour, ℔ sack | 3 15 @ | 3 25 |
| Hay, ℔ ton | 15 00 @ | 20 00 |

### Lumber, Shingles, Sash, Etc.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Colorado Clear, 1 x 1½ & 2 in., ℔ M | 35 00 @ | 40 00 |
| Clear, 1 in., ℔ M | 55 00 | |
| Flooring, D & M, ℔ M | 30 00 | |
| Common Lumber, ℔ M | 20 00 | |
| Chicago Clear, 1½, 1¾ & 2 in., ℔ M | 60 00 | |
| " 1 in., ℔ M | 45 00 @ | 55 00 |
| Flooring, D & M, ℔ M | 35 00 | |
| Clear Siding, ℔ M | 25 00 | |
| ¾ Beaded Ceiling, ℔ M | 37 00 | |
| Shingles, ℔ M | 4 25 | |
| Lath, ℔ M | 4 75 | |
| Doors, 2 ft 6 in x 6 ft 6 in, 1 in | 1 50 | |
| 2 ft x 6 ft, 1⅜ in | 1 75 | |
| 2 ft 6 in x 6 ft 6 in, 1⅜ in | 1 95 | |
| 2 ft 10 in x 6 ft 10 in, 1⅜ | 2 41 | |
| 2 ft 8 in x 6 ft 8 in, 1⅜ | 2 30 | |
| 2 ft 8 in x 6 ft 8 in, 1⅜ | 3 75 @ | 3 50 |
| Sash Doors | 1 25 | |
| Windows, glazed, 8x10—12 light | 1 65 | |
| 10x12—8 " | 1 80 | |
| 10x14—8 " | 2 10 | |
| 12x14—8 " | 2 25 | |
| 12x16—8 " | 1 75 @ | 2 00 |
| Blinds, ℔ pair | | |
| Tar Paper, ℔ lb | | |
| Carpet Paper, ℔ lb | | |


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|---|---|---|
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| Carbonate of Lithia | Trace. | Trace. |
| Carbonate of Lime | 2 | 2 |
| Carbonate of Magnesia | ½ | ½ |
| Sulphate of Soda | ⅜ | ⅜ |
| Chloride of Sodium | 2⅜ | Trace. |
| Silica | 1.24 | Trace. |
| Iodine | Trace. | Trace. |
| Bromide | Trace. | Trace. |
| Ammonia Muriate | | 3 |
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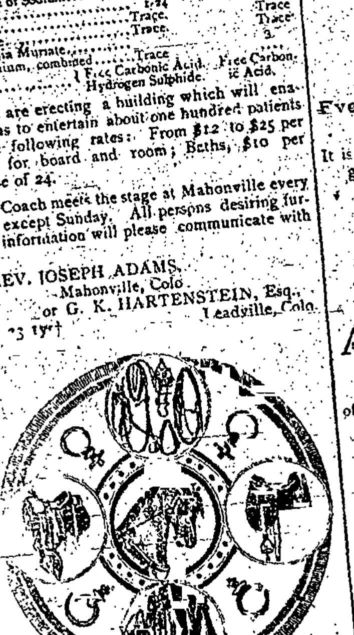

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FRIDAY, JUNE 6, 1879.

## Official Paper of the City of Colorado Springs.

### TIME TABLE.

**Denver and Rio Grande Railway**

| TRAINS GOING SOUTH. | TRAINS GOING NORTH. |
|---|---|
| *Way Freight.* | *Way Freight.* |
| Arrive ........ 2:19 P. M. | Arrive ........ 10.53 A. M. |
| Leave ........ 2:55 P. M. | Leave ........ 11:25 A. M. |
| *San Juan Express.* | *San Juan Express.* |
| Arrive ........ 11:35 A. M. | Arrive ........ 4:10 P. M. |
| Leave ........ 11:40 A. M. | Leave ........ 4:15 P. M. |

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The town clock has been set right.

Leadville has suffered a three days snow storm.

About one hundred and fifty new letter boxes are to be added to the postoffice facilities.

Leadville has a population of 17,356. Not every one of this number has made a fortune.

The Young People's meeting will be held in the Methodist church to-night at eight o'clock.

We would call attention to the advertisement of E. H. and J. R. Mershon, who come highly recommended.

New scenery and an enlarged stage are some of the improvements now in progress at the court house hall.

A car load of two inch water pipe was received yesterday by the superintendent, amounting in all to 3,380 feet.

Will the person who took a horse out of Mr. Stayt's stable yesterday through the back way please call and explain?

Lieutenant G. M. Wheeler and wife, of Washington, D. C., were among the arrivals at the Beebee House last night.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, of the M. E. church, will meet at the residence of Mrs. Shields this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

"Pinafore" goes to Colorado Springs on the eighteenth inst. The trips to Central, and elsewhere, have been abandoned.—*Denver Republican.*

The Methodist social did not take place last night. It will be held next Thursday evening. Strawberries and cream and a good time may be expected on that occasion.

The office of the National Hotel has been re-arranged so as to secure more room. It now presents a neat and attractive appearance, and is much more convenient and comfortable than formerly.

A letter containing twelve thousand dollars has just been discovered at the dead letter office, Washington.—*Exchange.* "We never worried any about that letter but still we think that the government ought to send it along to us as soon as convenient now that it has been found.

Zalinger of the *Republican* edited the local page of the *Democrat* yesterday afternoon, and then, without rest, did a like service for the *Republican*. He wore out three lead pencils and used up the contents of a large paste pot, worked eighteen hours, and then was not very tired.—*Denver Times.*

The Troy *Times* says "A farmer who has had ten years' experience in Colorado claims to have found a sure remedy for the potato bug scourge. His plan is simply to plant one or two flax seeds in each hill of potatoes. He says that the bugs will shun it every time; and for ten years he has been thus successful in raising potatoes while others have failed. The proposed remedy is simple and costs almost nothing to try it." Colorado potato bugs keep out of Colorado.

#### Mr. Millard's Accident.

It will be remembered that Mr. A. L. Millard's horse was frightened the other day by the firemen, that the horse ran away and that the wagon was wrecked. Mr. Milard met with a similar misfortune yesterday. He was driving down Cascade avenue, in company with Mr. Fred Ege, when his horse took fright and began to run. Mr. Ege was thrown from the wagon and received severe bruises about his head and face. Mr. Millard escaped without injury, and the horse freeing himself from the vehicle, ran to his stable. The wagon suffered considerable damage.

#### Plucky and Lucky.

The Denver *Times* makes the following remarks upon the success of a distinguished miner, whom we take pleasure in congratulating: "Our lieutenant governor worked sturdily for nineteen years to find the pay-streak in his life, and when he struck it, "shades of Croesus! how it poured. Thousands, tens of thousands, then millions. He purchased with his earliest gains a number of valuable properties which have increased his revenues constantly. Now comes the *Eclipse* with the report that on Saturday evening a large body of carbonates was uncovered in the Climax, one of the governor's ventures, at the depth of 130 feet. As he has made good use of the suddenly acquired fortune, we all feel like congratulating him."

#### The City Council.

The city council held a special meeting last evening. The amendments to the city ordinances proposed last Monday evening and given in substance in Tuesday's GAZETTE, came up for adoption. They were all passed unanimously with the exception of the ordinance abolishing the office of city plumber. The vote upon this proposition was as follows: Affirmative, Aldermen Rogers, Robbins, Lennox and Sherman; negative, Aldermen Humphrey and Crowell. As it requires a majority of all the board to pass an ordinance and as Messrs. Lyon and Kennedy were absent, the question was decided as lost.

It was decided to let the contract for laying the water mains for the Cliff House, Manitou, to the lowest bidder.

Five copies of Mr. Willet's new map of Colorado Springs were ordered to be purchased, after which the council adjourned to meet at 8 o'clock next Monday.

#### Calling a Church Convention.

An educational convention under the auspices of the Colorado conference of the M. E. church, is to be held in Denver on June 10, at the Lawrence street M. E. church. The convention is called under the following resolutions, adopted at the annual conference last January:

*Resolved*, 1. That we deem it advisable to hold an educational convention in Lawrence street M. E. church, Denver, Colorado, beginning June 10, 1879, to be composed of delegates from pastoral charges in the Colorado conference, the members to be determined and elected by the several quarterly conferences; all members of the conference are ex-officio members of this convention.

*Resolved*, 2. That the presiding elders be requested to bring this matter before the several charges and request the conference to elect delegates to this convention, as already provided.

The principal business of the convention will be the discussion of the following resolutions:

*Resolved*, That the time has come for a forward movement in the direction of Christian education in Colorado.

*Resolved*, 2. That steps be taken immediately to fund and endow an institution of learning under the auspices of the Colorado annual conference, to be located at Denver, and denominated "The Denver University."

*Resolved*, 3. That subscription books be opened immediately for the purpose of providing a building and other requisites.

*Resolved*, 4. That at the earliest practicable time a preparatory and collegiate department be opened under the tuition of competent professors, to be hereafter selected.

The railroads have promised half-fare rates to delegates, and arrangements for their entertainment will be provided by a committee consisting of the Rev. Earl Granston and the Rev. H. S. Hilton. The convention is called by the following well-known gentlemen: B. F. Crary, John Evans, T. G. Horn, I. A. Clough, H. J. Shaffner, J. H. Merritt, James M. North, F. C. Millington, W. L. Slutz.

#### The Public School Examinations.

The annual examinations in the public school for the year ending June 20th, will begin next Tuesday. We have obtained the following programme from the principal, Mr. H. L. Parker:

TUESDAY, JUNE 10.

First session, a. m., 5th, 8th and 10th grades in arithmetic; p. m., 6th and 7th grades of the same; 11th, geology.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11.

Second session, a. m., 5th, 8th and 10th grades in arithmetic; p. m. 6th and 7th grades of the same; 11th, parliamentary rules.

THURSDAY, JUNE 12.

A. M. 5th and 8th grades in grammar and 9th algebra; p. m., 6th and 7th grades in grammar and 11th Latin.

FRIDAY, JUNE 13.

A. M., 7:40 10.45 6th and 8th grades, spelling; 5th grade, oral reading; 10.45 to 12.10, 6th and 8th grades, written reading, 7th grade, oral reading. P. M., 1.30 to 2.30, 5th and 7th grades, written reading; 2.30 to 4, 5th and 7th grades, spelling; 10th grade in Latin.

MONDAY, JUNE 16.

A. M., 7th grade, geography, 8th, history and 11th geography. P. M., 5th and 6th grades, geography and 9th botany.

TUESDAY, JUNE 17.

A. M., general history, 5th, general lessons, 9th civil government. P. M., general history, 6th and 7th, general lessons.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18.

A. M., 9 to 10.45, 6th grade, oral reading; 10.45 to 12.10, 8th grade, oral reading. P. M., reports to be given, thereby forming the grades for the coming year.

THURSDAY, JUNE 19.

Graduating exercises at half past ten a. m. Programme will be published in the GAZETTE.

The above is the programme for the 5th to the 11th grades inclusive. A programme for the other grades will be published next week.

#### Daily Abstract of Meteorological Record of Colorado College, Colorado Springs.

FOR JUNE 5, 1879.

Highest barometer, 30.067 in. 2 p. m.
Lowest barometer, 30.967 in. 9 p. m.
Range .100 inches
Mean barometer, 30.009 inches.
Highest thermometer, 76°.
Lowest thermometer, 55°.
Range of thermometer, 21°.
Mean thermometer, 64.8°.
Wind Prevailing direction, S. E.
Mean humidity, 53 per cent. of saturation.

OZONE.

7 o'clock a. m. 1; 2 p. m. 3; 9 p. m. 0.

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# A BOOMERANG.

## The Affidavit of Wooten.

## Proofs of its Falsehood.

## More Bribery and Corruption.

## The Dirt Throwers Put in More Work.

The report of the plot to kidnap Judge Bowen is receiving confirmation from all quarters. The special train bearing the Atchison counsel from Denver to Garland also bore five villainous looking fellows who left the train at Garland. It is supposed these fellows were to do the business. The plot has also leaked out at Canon City and other places. The details of the plot have not been sufficiently worked up to give more accurate information. Parties from Canon City, Pueblo and Las Animas county say that the Atchison cause is so weakened in those sections that it has no followers. The sentiment in southern Colorado is solid in favor of the local road. If resistance is made to the execution of the injunction, the Atchison road will have to import foreigners to do it. The effort to bribe the county clerk and sheriff of Costilla county, as contained in our Alamosa dispatch, excited great indignation at Alamosa. It is only another proof of the unscrupulousness of the Atchison road.

ANOTHER PLOT SHOWN UP.

ALAMOSA, June 5.

The Atchison has for some time had an agent in the San Luis Valley for the purpose of persuading the sheriff of Costilla county, Mr. T. T. Bartlet, and the clerk of the same county, C. F. Meyer, to fail in their duty. He was instructed not to stand on thousands. This day an employe of the Atchison sent checks from Denver. The agent is a well known lumber dealer, but his name is withheld because of his connections.

THE WOOTEN AFFIDAVIT.

The Denver *Tribune* of yesterday published an affidavit made by R. L. Wooten, jr., the sheriff of Las Animas county, with very sensational headings. Outside of a few sensational reports of conversations, the reliability of which is effectually riddled by the interview with Mr. J. M. Graham, published below, the affidavit is simply this: that certain friends of the D. & R. G. Co. offered to give him $1,000 if he would execute certain papers which they might want served, as he says, "in a few days, a week, or a month."

The value of the affidavit largely depends upon the character of the man who makes it. Mr. Wooten for years has been known in Las Animas county as a political trimmer of the worst character. He has again and again sold out his party and his friends. Only his father's influence and wealth have kept him up for the last five years. During the spring he has been continually in the pay of the A. T. & S. F. company. He received about April 1 $500 as a retaining fee, and $10 a day while in command of guards at El Moro in the month of April when it was supposed by the Atchison company that an attempt would be made by the owners of the Denver and Rio Grande road to take it from its unlawful possessors. He was paid this not for executing a lawbut to prevent the execution of any lawful writ giving to the Denver and Rio Grande company the road. In other words he took a bribe while sheriff to prevent the execution of writs which it was his duty to serve, and the A. T. & S. F. were the parties who did the corrupt bribery. So much for the character of the man who makes the affidavit.

Now, in regard to the affidavit. The pith of it is this: A party approached Wooten and said:

That the Denver and Rio Grande company would have some papers pretty soon which they wanted me to serve; that it might be in a few days or a week, or a month, depending upon circumstances. He wanted to know what I would take to serve the papers. I asked him what the nature of the papers would be. He said they would be writs dispossessing the Santa Fe company and putting the Rio Grande into possession of its line; that the move would be made all along the line at the same day, and that it was all arranged. I told him I would take $1,000.

This is all Mr Wooten claims. He was simply to be paid extra for serving a writ which it was his duty to serve with only the usual fees. We do not know whether this part of the affidavit is true or not, but granting that it is there is nothing which looks very bad about it. It was known that Mr. Wooten was hired in the interest of the Atchison company. It was only fair to suppose such a hireling would not do his duty in serving a writ against his employers unless an extra inducement was offered. He was simply asked how much he would want in order to do his duty. An honest sheriff would have said his fees. Mr. Wooten said $1,000. His own account shows that he was a rascal. It was simply necessary to hire him to do his duty. Is it corruption for an individual who has been advised by his counsel that his cause is likely to be decided in a certain way to take all measures to secure the full benefit of that decision if rendered? And apropos of the fact that Wooten has been for weeks in the pay of the Atchison road, is it not corruption for a party in a suit who feels that according to law and justice a decision ought to be rendered against him to bribe the law officer not to serve the writs of the court? The only thing about the affidavit to be regretted is the fact that it shows it is necessary to make it a pecuniary object in order to induce the peace officers of Las Animas county to do their duty. The affidavit in no way implicates either Judge Bowen or the attorney general. It shows that those interested in the independence of the Rio Grande road were uncertain when the paper would be served, or whether there would be such a paper. The head lines and comments in the *Tribune* are entirely irrelevant. The editor drew on his imagination not on the affidavit—for his facts.

It is a new subterfuge to divert public attention from the great question to side issues. Desperate indeed must be the case of those who will resort to such means. The affidavit is of no greater weight than the one signed by Robinson and Morley. It bears remarkable internal evidence that the same unscrupulous counsel that drew the Robinson-Morley affidavit, also drew Wooten's. It was drawn by unscrupulous counsel, signed by a scoundrel, and designed to defeat the ends of justice.

We draw special attention to the interview published below with Mr. J. M. Graham. The story he tells is sufficient refutation of the sensational language he puts into the mouths of the various parties alluded to in the affidavit. The most striking part of the interview is the statement that the Atchison road bribed Wooten not to do his duty. This is indeed corruption. Well may the question be asked, "With what right does a foreign corporation employ a state officer as captain of its guards, and what right has a peace officer of the state to accept employment from a foreign corporation threatening to resist the process of law? This is indeed a vital question. The cry of corruption on the part of the Atchison road was a thief, crying "stop the thief." The whole effect of the affidavit will be contrary to that desired. It is a boomerang. It only charged that the friends of the D. & R. G. bribed (if such a word can be used in this connection) Wooten to do his duty, while the fact is brought out that the Atchison road bribed Wooten not to do his duty, and to assist in preventing the execution of the laws.

MR. GRAHAM ON THE WOOTEN AFFIDAVIT.

Noticing that the Wooten affidavit referred to Mr. J. M. Graham, who has recently opened the El Paso stables on Tejon street, as one of the parties to the so-called "conspiracy," we called on him to find out the truth. That the interview may be more clearly understood, we print the following extract from the Wooten affidavit which concerns Mr. Graham:

On the 2th of May I was approached by J. M. Graham, at South Pueblo, and who keeps a livery stable at Colorado Springs. He said that he had been talked to by Governor Hunt several days ago and the governor wanted to know if a thousand dollars would induce me to help put the Denver & Rio Grande in possession of this road. I told him that I didn't think it would, but that perhaps fifteen hundred might.

"Well," said he, "the governor is here and will probably see you before you leave and you can just as well tap him for fifteen hundred dollars as not. It's all understood and I want you to make every dollar out of it you can."

Pointing to the above extract we asked Mr. Graham if he had read it.

"Yes I have, and it is a misrepresentation from beginning to end. I was indignant, when I read it, that my name should have been brought into the matter and immediately wrote a letter to the Denver *News* denying the statements. This letter tells my part of the story."

The letter is as follows:

COLORADO SPRINGS, June 5th, 1879.

*To the Editor of the Rocky Mountain News*:

SIR: I wish to make the following statement through your columns in answer to a charge made by R. L. Wooten in the *Tribune* of June 5, 1879. I have had no conversation with Governor Hunt for a year and a half. The charge made Mr. Wooten is false. I spoke to Mr. Wooten in a joking way asking him how much he had made out of the A. T. & S. F company. He replied saying he had made $1,000 or $1,200. I then told him he had better tap the Rio Grande for $1,000 or $1,500 and that would make him a stake of $2,500, then skip the county and go north. This was our conversation precisely. If Mr. Wooten or his friends wish to hear more they can "come again." I had hoped to keep out of this railroad fight altogether. Yours, &c.

J. M. GRAHAM.

"In this letter you speak of not having had any conversation with Governor Hunt for some time. Is there any reason for this?"

"Yes, we are not on very good terms. About eighteen months ago we had a quarrel over some business matters."

"Then he would not be likely to put so confidential a matter in your hands?"

"No, by no means!"

"Can you state anything more about that conversation at Pueblo you allude to in your letter?"

"The letter covers the important points. It began by Wooten asking me what I thought of his chances for re-nomination and election to the office of sheriff. I told him he had not any chances. Then I joked about his making as much as he could while there was opportunity."

"In your letter you state that Wooten said he had received from $1,000 to $1,200 from the Atchison service?"

"Yes, he stated that."

"Did you believe it?"

"Yes, because last April he told me he received $500 at one time as a retaining fee, and that he also received $10 a day during the spring scare."

"Did you hear from any other source that Wooten received this retaining fee and regular pay? I hardly think Wooten good authority, judging from his affidavit."

"Yes. One of his deputies, who ought to know, told me the same thing. It was generally understood throughout Las Animas county that he was in the pay of the Atchison company."

"What did he do for this pay?"

"He was captain of the guard at El Moro, and was supposed to execute those court orders which were in the interest of the Santa Fe road."

"Would he have executed such a writ as the one which the attorney general has applied for?"

"I don't think he would. The idea was that he should use his power as sheriff in the interest of the Atchison road."

"Is Mr. Wooten the kind of a man that is likely to sell out?"

"Yes. He would probably work for the company that gave him the most money. If the D. & R. G. had raised the amount the Atchison road gave him in April, he would probably have been on the other side."

"Is that his general reputation?"

"Yes. He has sold out again and again in political campaigns. This is generally known in the county and he has no standing."

"You say in your letter if Mr. Wooten or his friends wish to hear more they can come again. What did you mean?"

"Simply that I know some secrets that Wooten and his friends would not like to have revealed. I don't want to say more for the sake of others."

Mr. Graham appeared very much annoyed that his name should have been brought before the public in this connection, and was unwilling to say more than was necessary to correct Wooten's falsehood. We may add that in April Mr. Graham was the proprietor of a livery stable at El Moro.

#### Drunk, Disorderly and Dangerous.

Officer T. J. Perkins narrowly escaped being seriously stabbed last evening, and as it was he received a slight cut in the hand. The officer was patrolling Huerfano street about ten o'clock when he saw a man, evidently under the influence of liquor, leaning against the wall of the Rogers Bros.' confectionery shop. He approached the man, and thinking he was able to take care of himself, advised him to go home. The man replied with an oath he wouldn't go home until he had obtained his blankets, which he claimed had been stolen by some saloon keeper. He was asked who had his blankets and replied "It's none of your business." The officer said a few more words when the man suddenly raised his hand, in which he held an opened knife, and made a lunge at his questioner. A struggle ensued and a second blow was struck with the knife, wounding the policeman in the hand. Officer Perkins wrenched himself away from his assailant, and drawing his pistol said "Throw up your hands or I'll kill you." The man dropped his knife into his coat pocket and said, "I didn't have a knife." Assistance had come by this time and the drunken fellow was taken to jail and locked up. He gave his name as Delaney, and said he was from Joplin, Missouri. He will be tried this morning.

#### Bonding the Highland Mary.

The Leadville *Chronicle* gives the following particulars of the bonding of a rich mining property in that camp: "The Highland Mary mine, situated above the Breese Iron mine, was yesterday bonded to Samuel McMullen, W. J. Glencross and Simon H. Foss for $75,000, $5,000 of the money being paid down. This mine is regarded as a most valuable property and among the recent big strikes of the camp. Ten tons of ore was yesterday taken to the Adelaide smelter, the first ever marketed from the mine. It has thirteen feet of mineral, a catch assay from which gave in eighty-seven ounces of silver and forty-five per cent. lead. Steam hoisting apparatus will be placed in position at once by the purchasers, who estimate their daily product at twenty tons.

#### Action of Land Commissioners.

The Denver *News* gives the following report of the transactions at the last meeting of the land commissioners: An important session of the state board of land commissioners was held at the executive department yesterday afternoon, at which there were present Governor Pitkin, Attorney-General Wright, Secretary Meldrum and private secretary Vickers. The business of the meeting was of a routine nature, but during the session some important matters were disposed of. A school section of land adjoining the town of Pueblo and laid off as a state addition to that city, was platted and the secretary instructed to sell the improved lots on it to parties who made application. Another order passed by the board authorizes the leasing of certain land in Lake county. The state owns several sections of land near Twin Lakes. In fact owns it all with the exception of two claims one of which is held by Hon. William N Byers. Within the past few months an effort has been made to make the lakes a sort of summer resort, and there is a demand for the property. The state authorities appreciating its value, decline to sell it outright until it has improved more in value, but they authorized the secretary to lease certain portions of it at five dollars per acre. The board also audited a number of claims and transacted considerable business of a routine nature. A very great demand is being made for state lands in various portions of the state, but the rule established and which is to the effect that no lands are to be sold until the property reaches a proper value, is being rigidly adhered to.

#### Hotel Arrivals.

PASCOE'S.—G S Lane, Silver Cliff; Oscar Watson, Mrs Watson, Miss Watson, Miss Gorringe, F Gorringe, London; S C Stout, wife and child, Divide; Wm Alton, Chicago; John R James, Geo Taylor, ranch; Geo W Smith, Louisville, Ky; C W Kittredge, ranch; Thomas Abbey, Denver; A H Swatt, Nebraska; John Gaphart, Missouri; J R Todd, Hookstown, Pa.

NATIONAL.—Jos R Hunter, Rochester, N Y; R Saulnan, J Poywauski, Denver; Peter Becker, Leadville; Chas Learch, Rushville, Ill; J W McIntire, C T Antiser, St Joe; G H B Harenc, England.

CENTRAL.—W Ewens, Phila; Calvin S Jones, N J Vorburgh, Denver; S Byrne, Leadville; Thos S Christopher and wife, St Joe; Miss Lizzie Corcoran, Chicago; Mrs Pauline Heder, Indianapolis.

SPRINGS.—J Hughes, Booneville, Mo; Harry D Blakelee, Buffalo; A Gahlman, N Y; Geo J Besser, Denver; Wm G Shedd, Boulder; A B Miller, Idaho Springs; Chas A Lancing, ranch; Geo P Sawyer, Buffalo; J L Besver, W Welch, ranch; Ernest Carver, Manchester, Eng; Robt Holley, ranch; R P Eaton, Washington; W B Hodgkinson, W V Carver, Eng; H B Wilbur, Syracuse, N Y; G T Wilbur, Lincoln, Ill; J R Rand, A B Williams, Manitou; Jas Sullivan, Ill; C H Wilbur, Trinidad; Edwin B Light, Denver; A Dutton, Manitou; F A Low, ranch; S Hirschl, St Louis; T W Urguhart, Silver Cliff; John Nicholson, agent John Thompson's company; J H Stall and wife, Orville, O; Jos Arnold and wife, Denver; H P Smith, Hampton, Ark.

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Dr. B. P. Anderson has removed his office from Huerfano street to his residence, corner Pike's Peak and Nevada avenues. 6 5 5.

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HENRY MCALLISTER, JR.,
3-25tf. Executive Director.

The fine bred trotting stallion, Bacon's "Bashan," will make a season at the fair grounds under the control of Mr. Terry. This well bred horse was sired by Green's Old Bashan, his dam by Rysdyk's Hambletonian. Breeders will do well to examine this horse. 6 1 tf

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